SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 13th January 1928.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depot by the District Forest Officer, on the dates noted against each :—

Name of depot	Date of sale	Hebbalu	Gulmavoo	Teak	Nandi	Koilals	Hunal	Neralu	Yattiga	Kalavala	Remarks
Sagar ..	2nd May 1928	1,500	72	100	800	90	112	7?4	82	50	Cubic feet more or less.

(1) The sale will be held at 2 P.M.

(2) The sale will be continued on the morning of the next day, in case if it is not possible to complete it on the date notified.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

(*a*) In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted upon.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case are subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay ten per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer, for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of Land Revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within fifteen days after the date of the notice of confirmation of the sale, whichever is later. In case of purchases above Rs. 1,000, in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000, provided the full value is paid not later than the 25th May 1928. The moneys shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct, within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, excluding the ten per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale ; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the Depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber, until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The depssit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breech of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

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FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notification dated 21st April 1928.

It is hereby informed for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kaval, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations for two years from 1st July 1928 to 30th June 1930, will be sold talukwar by public auction on the dates and at the places specified below:—

Taluk comprised	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
KOLAR DISTRICT.			
1 Kolar	District Forest Office, Kolar	8th May 1928	Deputy Commissioner or any Officer deputed by him with the help of the District Forest Officer.
2 Mulbagal	Do		
3 Chintamani	Do		
4 Bagepalli	Do		
5 Sidlaghatta	Do		
6 Srinivaspur	Do		
7 Goribidanur	Do		
8 Chikballapur	Do		
9 Bowringpet	Do		
10 Malur	Do		
11 Gudibanda Sub-Taluk	Do		
BANGALORE DISTRICT.			
1 Bangalore	District Forest Office, Bangalore.	10th May 1928	Do
2 Hoskote	Do		
3 Devanhalli	Do		
4 Doddballapur	Do		
5 Kankanhalli	Do		
6 Magadi	Do		
7 Anekal	Do		
8 Channapatna	Do		
9 Nelamangala	Do		
10 Closepet Sub-Taluk	Do		
MYSORE DISTRICT.			
1 Mysore	District Forest Office, Mysore.	11th and 12th May 1928.	Do
2 Heggaddevankote	Do		
3 Hunsur	Do		
4 Yedatore	Do		
5 Krishnarajpete	Do		
6 Nagamangala	Do		
7 Mandya	Do		
8 Malvalli	Do		
9 Seringapatam	Do		
10 French Rocks Sub-Taluk	Do		
11 Nanjangud	Do		
12 Gundlupet	Do		
13 Chamrajnagar	Do		
14 T.-Narsipur	Do		
HASSAN DISTRICT.			
1 Hassan	District Forest Office, Hassan	14th May 1928	Do
2 Channarayapatna	Do		
3 Hole-Narsipur	Do		
4 Arkalgud	Do		
5 Belur	Do		
6 Manjarabad	Do		
7 Arsikere	Do		
8 Alur Sub-Taluk	Do		
KADUR DISTRICT.			
1 Mudgere	District Forest Office, Chikmagalur.	15th May 1928	Deputy Commissioner or any other Officer deputed by him with the help of the concerned District Forest Officers
2 Chikmagalur	Do		
3 Kadur	Do		
4 Narasimharajapura	Do		
5 Koppa	Do		
6 Tarikere	Do		